63RD ANNUAL NBA ALL-STAR GAME: VENDOR PERMIT Q&A







1. Question: Can I vend on a sidewalk, a street, in a parking lane, or outside a public or private building during the All-Star Game in the Central Business District (CBD) or French Quarter?

Answer: No. All permits for vending in public places and outdoor venues are suspended in the CBD and French Quarter during the NBA All-Star Game Clean Zone period, from 6 AM Sunday, 2/3/2014 until 6 PM Tuesday, 2/19/2014 except for those issued to the NBA or official, NBA approved All-Star Game sponsors.

2. Question: Can I vend at a private event in the CBD or French Quarter during the NBA All-Star Game?

Answer: If the event organizer is the NBA, an official NBA All-Star Game sponsor, or is having an indoor event (no outside vending), AND has obtained a Promoter License and Mayoralty Permit, AND included you on the vendor list, you can obtain a vendor permit. If these conditions have not been met, you will NOT receive a vendor permit.

3. Question: How do I become a vendor at the New Orleans Arena or Champions' Square?

Answer: All vendors in the Arena, Superdome, and the Square are contracted through the Arena, Superdome, and other private entities. Please contact those venues or their promoters to become involved.

4. Question: Can I vend in the parking lots in the CBD during the NBA All-Star Game?

Answer: No. Permits will be not issued for outdoor spaces in the CBD or French Quarter during the All-Star Game Clean Zone, from 6 AM Sunday, 2/3/2014 until 6 PM Tuesday, 2/19/2014 except to the NBA or official, approved NBA Sponsors (see question 2 above).

5. Question: I own a restaurant and/or bar in the CBD or French Quarter and have a current Alcoholic Beverage Outlet License from the City and State. Can I vend alcohol on the sidewalk, in a parking lane, or outside on my own property in the CBD or French Quarter during The All-Star Game?

Answer: No. Your current ABO license cannot be used outside of your property. Only official NBA or official, approved NBA All-Star Game Sponsors will be issued Temporary ABO licenses and sell alcohol outdoors during the All-Star Game Clean Zone period. Please contact Alison Gavrell at specialevents@nola.gov or 504-658-0907 for more details.

6. Question: I would like to sell alcohol on the street, sidewalk, or other outdoor venue and do NOT have a current Alcoholic Beverage Outlet license. Can I do this during the All-Star Game in the CBD and French Quarter?

Answer: No. All permits for vending in public places and outdoor venues INCLUDING ALCOHOL VENDING are suspended in the CBD and French Quarter during the All-Star Game Clean Zone, from 6 AM Sunday, 2/3/2014 until 6 PM Tuesday, 2/19/2014 except those issued to the NBA or official, approved NBA Sponsors.